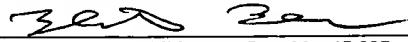


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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to an office communication mailed July 14, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.